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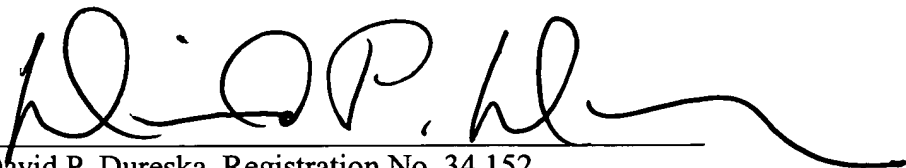
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Sir:

To date, no Office Action has been received for the above-referenced application since entering the U.S. National Phase filing date of **March 17, 2005**, and Applicants hereby request communication from the Patent Office as to whether any intervening communications have been made and, if not, when some action on the part of the Patent Office would reasonably be expected.

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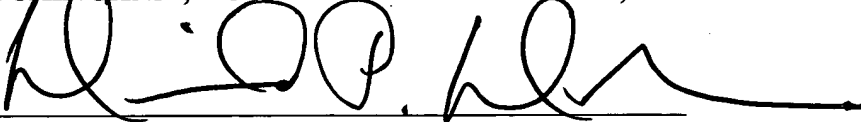
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